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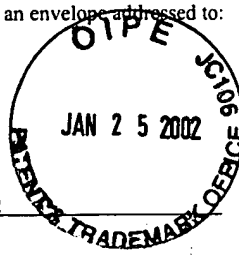
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kurt M. de Grosz et al.

Application No.: 09/917,287

Filed: July 27, 2001

For: INSURANCE BUSINESS SYSTEM

Examiner:

Art Unit:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER –
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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, dated September 5, 2001, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration
- 2) Power of Attorney and Certificate of Assignee Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)
- 3) Petition to Extend Time
- 4) Request for Corrected Filing Receipt
- 5) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts

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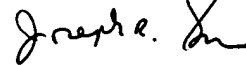
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Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$108.
 - \$108 for 12 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 528.**

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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